

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Messmer et al.)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2123
Serial No.:	10/723,110)	
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Filing Date:	November 25, 2003)	Proctor, Jason Scott
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For:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING)	
	SIMULATION OF A DISCRETE EVENT PROCESS)	
	USING BUSINESS SYSTEM DATA)	

VIA EFS
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action made Final mailed February 1, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit that the remarks contained herein place the application in condition for allowance.